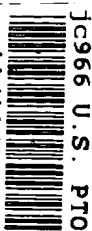


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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**  
(for Noncontinuing, Nonprovisional Applications  
under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. **72061** (0315)



**Box PATENT APPLICATION**

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
ATTENTION: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R.  
§1.53(b) is the nonprovisional, noncontinuing  
patent application for:

Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
VERIFYING ACCURACY OF AN  
INFRARED THERMOMETER**

First Named Inventor or Application Identifier:  
**Wilhelm Maccarone**

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- ☒ 15 pages of the specification (including claims) are enclosed.
- ☒ 3 sheet(s) of drawings are enclosed. ☐ Formal ☒ Informal
- ☐ An executed Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney naming the actual inventors is enclosed.
- ☒ The names of persons believed to be the actual inventors are set forth in the enclosed unexecuted Oath or Declaration and Power of Attorney (§1.41(a) and §1.53(b)).
- ☐ An Assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_, and cover sheet are enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the fee for recording the assignment is enclosed.
- ☐ A 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) statement is enclosed where an assignee seeks to take action.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is enclosed.
- ☐ A Form PTO-1449 is enclosed.
- ☐ \_\_\_\_\_ References (copies) listed on the Form PTO-1449 are enclosed.
- ☒ A Return Receipt Postcard is enclosed (MPEP §503).

- ☐ Priority of application number \_\_\_\_\_ filed on \_\_\_\_\_ in \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☐ A certified copy of the priority document is enclosed.
- ☐ A Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
- ☐ A Transmittal Cover Letter for Computer Program Listing Appendix is enclosed.
- ☐ Two (2) Compact Discs are enclosed.
- ☐ A Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission is enclosed.
- ☐ A Computer Readable Copy is enclosed.
- ☐ A Paper Copy (Identical to Computer Copy) is enclosed.
- ☐ A Statement Verifying Identity of above Copies is enclosed.
- ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

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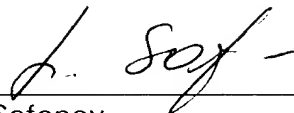
- ☐ Applicant(s) assert entitlement to Small Entity Status, reducing the Filing Fee by half to: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
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- ☒ A separate written request under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3), which is a general authorization to treat any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for its timely submission as incorporating a petition for an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, is enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. This sheet is filed in triplicate.

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**GENERAL AUTHORIZATION FOR PETITION FOR  
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Applicant(s) hereby request under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) by this general authorization that any concurrent or future reply submitted by Applicant(s) to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office for the above-identified patent application requiring a petition for an extension of time under § 1.136(a) for its timely submission be treated as incorporating therein a petition for an extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

If Applicant(s) do not timely pay for any extension fee(s) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) which may become due for this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 by check, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fee(s), and any additional fees which may be required in this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17 during its entire pendency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1135.

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